

## DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF WOMEN

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The Woman's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church held its regular meeting Friday afternoon in the church parlors. The election of officers which took place during the business session resulted as follows: Mrs. W. B. Stover was elected president emeritus; Mrs. F. C. Koon, acting president; Mrs. C. A. Lippincott, elected first vice president; Miss May Applegate, second vice president; Mrs. H. M. Crow, recording secretary; Mrs. J. S. Selzer, corresponding secretary; Mrs. F. M. Boone, secretary of literature, and Mrs. C. A. Bridge, treasurer. The devotionals were led by Mrs. Elmer Crockett. Mrs. F. L. Chilcote read and discussed the sixth chapter of the study book, entitled "The Golden Whirlpool," which deals with South Africa, and Mrs. J. F. Renne gave current news of the present conditions in China, which is the new name for Korea. A social hour followed and refreshments were served to 40 members by the hostesses, Mrs. C. A. Lippincott, Mrs. Sarah H. Irwin, Mrs. F. A. Miller and Mrs. Sam Applegate. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. A. Ross, 909 Riverside dr., March 5.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Westminster Presbyterian church was entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. F. Darr, 917 Leland av. A business session was held, during which the annual election of officers took place. Mrs. Edward Beach was elected president; Mrs. L. L. Barter, vice president; Mrs. L. P. Hardy, secretary; Mrs. C. H. Beyer, treasurer; Mrs. C. C. Beyer, secretary of literature; Mrs. F. R. Montague, Mrs. Claude Nash and Miss Mary Millhouse, extension secretaries, and Mrs. E. W. Morse, secretary of music. The scripture lesson was read by Mrs. A. M. Ellis. "Moses Land" was the subject of the program, which was composed of two papers by Mrs. Claude Nash and Mrs. John Henry Zuver. A social hour followed. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. C. Beyer, 714 Harrison av., March 5th.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Conference Memorial United Brethren church held its regular meeting at the parsonage Friday afternoon. The annual thank offering was taken up, but because of the absence of a number of the members only 14 white boxes out of 50 were opened, the sum netted was \$27.55. It is expected that the \$75 goal will be exceeded. The devotionals were led by Rev. C. A. Sickafosse. A paper on "Thankfulness" was read by Mrs. J. M. Maxey and a reading given by Mrs. Ernest Traver. A social hour was enjoyed. The next meeting will be held March 5, the place to be announced later.

The Woman's society of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. John Inwood, 511 S. Main st., Friday afternoon. A short business session was held and a program given. Mrs. S. G. Chard who gave the second chapter of the text book dealing with the "Crusade in India," was assisted by Mrs. U. S. Davis and Mrs. R. W. Fleming led in the discussion of the "Hindu in America." Mrs. T. A. Freeman, the president, read the scripture lesson. A social meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Freeman, 1910 Woodward av., the evening of Feb. 20th.

Mrs. W. P. Taylor, 130 S. Taylor st., was hostess at a meeting of the Worth While circle of the First Methodist church which was held at her home Friday afternoon. During the business session it was decided that the society would continue the support of its French orphan. A social was held and refreshments served to 36 members by the assistant hostesses, Mrs. J. W. Eastep, Mrs. Stretch, Mrs. John Campbell and Mrs. Norman Bleuler. The March meeting will be in the nature of an all-day sewing at the Orphans' home.

The home department of the South Bend Woman's club met Friday afternoon in the club rooms. Mrs. Vere Strayer led the community singings accompanied by Mrs. R. R.

## Revelations of a Wife

Their Second Honeymoon

BY ADELE GARRISON.

HOW KATHERINE WAS MARRIED AND WHAT HAPPENED AFTERWARD.

Till death do you part!" As the solemn words of the marriage service fell from the lips of the white-haired old minister standing before Jack and Katherine, I felt my heart contract with swift pitying fear. There seemed so sad a promise of words coming true in this war wedding, with the faces of both husband and wife turned toward France, he to join the army, she to her beloved work as a Red Cross nurse.

I saw the little fine lines around Lillian's mouth deepen, sure sign that she is deeply moved, watched the reflection of my thought dawn in the face of Lieut. Dawson. Jack's chum, and Elizabeth Pearce, a school friend of Katherine's, who were, besides myself, the sole guests at the quiet wedding. But upon the faces of Jack and Katherine there was no trace of fear, even of apprehension.

Katherine was radiant, a "bonny bride," indeed. I marvelled at the transformation happiness had made in the heartiest girl I had comforted but a few days before. And, Lieut. Blacket had completely lost the stern, morose look which had been his for so long.

Lillian, in the few hours given her had worked marvels. She has a way with her where tradesmen are concerned that I have never seen equalled. They will leave more profitable customers to rush through anything in which she is especially interested, and for this wedding, so near her heart, they had rallied to her necessity most loyally. From the women in the alteration room of a modish costumer to the florist who made an ivory and emerald hower of one end of the wonderful living room, they had done their utmost, and the result of their labors glowed before us, was reflected in the pardonable gratification in Lillian's face.

"Here's Hoping." At one point she had nearly struck a snag. Because she thought Betty was worn out from the strain of the days preceding and following old Mrs. Morton's death, Lillian had proposed having a caterer serve the wedding supper. But Betty had angrily rebelled.

"When I get so old and useless that I can't fix up things for a wedding," she said, "you can just take a broom and brush me out with the rest of the trash," she announced, and Lillian let her have her way, something for which our sharpened appetites were most grateful, when, after the ceremony, we sat down to Betty's dainties, with Betty herself hovering in the background like a benevolent-turkey black angel.

"I suppose we're not to ask where you're going," Miss Pearce, a lively brunette, asked mischievously as the supper drew to an end.

"It's no secret," Jack returned. "Old John here," beaming at his soldier chum, "had so much money Stewart. Mrs. E. C. Lee read an interesting paper, "Environment and Playmates for the Younger Child" and Mrs. C. E. Francis gave a talk on "How We Can Get Good Movies for Our Children" and gave a review of the good plays which have been shown at the local theaters. The next meeting will be held March 6.

The regular monthly dinner of the Woman's Dining club will be held at the Oliver hotel in the Pink Parlor next Tuesday evening at 6:45 o'clock. A special program will be arranged. Mrs. R. C. Shanklin will give a reading; Miss Louise Studebaker will speak informally of her experience in France and Miss Hazel Hains will sing a group of songs.

Section two of the literature department of the Progress club held its regular meeting Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the club rooms. A

in the days before the war that it was sinful even to count it. And one of his cherished possessions was a bachelor bungalow out on the east end of Long Island, under the elms of the Hamptons. He has kindly placed it at our disposal with all its appointments, motor boat, Japanese, for the few days we have before we are called back.

"How wonderful!" Miss Pearce, Lillian and I were as one voice in our comment. Katherine looked faintly troubled as she met our surprised eyes.

"Truly, I didn't know it myself till a few minutes ago," she said apologetically.

"Dear child, it would have been all right if you had," Lillian returned affectionately, and Katherine's forehead cleared.

"A bachelor bungalow," Miss Pearce said reflectively. "Seems to me it's risky to let so much happiness into it. It might prove contagious." She glanced from beneath her long eyelashes at the fortunate owner of the bachelor bungalow with frank coquetry.

"Here's hoping," he returned, lifting his glass to her.

I couldn't see his eyes for I was sitting beside him, but Miss Pearce suddenly veiled hers completely with her lashes and gave all her attention to her tea, while the faintest of blushes crept over her cheeks.

I wondered, woman-like, if I had witnessed the beginning of a romance, but soon forgot all about them, for Jack announced that it was almost time for Lieut. Dawson's handsome touring car, which was to take them through the sleepy, lovely Long Island villages to the bungalow.

Katherine was the calmest of the four women who gathered in her room upstairs and attempted to help her change from the white wedding gown to the smart traveling frock and modish motor coat Lillian had provided in spite of Katherine's vehement protests.

Two Slow Smiles. "Please, girls," she said at last, "if you'll just sit down in the corners and let me do it all I'll get through twice as quick. Remember, I'm a professional nurse still although I am a bride."

She was as good as her word. In the next few minutes we had a marvellous exhibition of scientific, efficient, unburied changing and packing. And she was ready to the last hook before Jack tapped upon the door.

Miss Pearce looked at Lillian and me with frankly curious eyes as when Katherine could no longer see us we turned to each other with wet eyes. Lieut. Dawson was at the motor car giving instructions to the chauffeur.

"You two look so tragic," she said plaintively. "There's nothing sorrowful about a wedding."

And then Lillian and I smiled at each other, a slow smile, which the girl at our side would no doubt some time understand.

short business session was held followed by a discussion of Oscar Wilde's "The Happy Prince" by Mrs. F. C. Kenney and a talk on the "Social Problem Plays" by Miss Grace Rabbitt. Vocal selections were rendered by Mrs. Orlo Deahl. The next meeting will be held Feb. 20 when Mrs. F. C. Koon will read "The Intruder."

Miss Ruth Baker, 146 Laporte av., entertained 17 members of the Phi Sigma sorority at a 6:30 o'clock dinner at her home Friday evening. A business session was held and a social evening enjoyed. Mrs. Diehl Martin, 814 Ashland av., will be hostess to the sorority Feb. 18.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. La Pierre, 602 E. Monroe st., entertained 12 guests Thursday evening as a courtesy to Mrs. J. Macken, of Portland, Ore. Miss Bessie Hogue entertained with several recitations. A luncheon was served.

The T. O. C. club was entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Krause, 733 Harrison av. At cards which were the feature of the evening Miss Emma Peterson and Paul Swisher were the favor winners. Refreshments were served to 12 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swisher will entertain the club with a Valentine party Feb. 14 at their home, 537 N. Allen st.

The Musicians' club met Thursday evening with Mrs. Lawrence Romine, 102 Marquette av., for a short business session. There will be another meeting held in two weeks with Miss Vernice Elbel, 695 Portage av.

Miss Nellie Anders, 408 N. St. Louis blvd., entertained a number of friends at her home Thursday

evening. At cards which were the division Mrs. Otto Richartz was the favor winner. At the close of the evening a luncheon was served.

## Announcements

There will be a meeting of the O. E. S. auxiliary held in the Masonic club rooms Monday afternoon. Mrs. Catherine Feni, Mrs. Margaret Monroe, Mrs. Carrie Milburn, Mrs. May Culp and Mrs. Gertrude Clark will be the hostesses.

The Woman's Dining club will hold a regular meeting Tuesday evening, Feb. 10, at the Oliver hotel.

## Kitchen Economies

HOW TO VARY BREAKFAST BEVERAGES DELICIOUSLY.

No matter how ingenious the housekeeper, she is usually at a loss to bring changes in the breakfast beverage. Indeed, if there are in the family some members who should not drink tea or coffee, there is little to choose from.

At present the breakfast beverages available to us are coffee, cocoa or chocolate, tea for those who can acquire the ability to drink tea at breakfast time or some of the many coffee substitutes on the market. These are made of perfectly wholesome grains, as a rule, but there really is no particular reason why they should be called coffee substitutes. I believe the prejudice of many people to these beverages arises from the fact that they are sold as coffee substitutes rather than on their own merits. People expect to find a coffee flavor without any of the evil effects which the automatic bean imparts. None of these "coffee substitutes" taste like coffee. But they have an excellent flavor of their own, which one can grow to appreciate if one drinks them without expecting to taste coffee.

Chocolate and cocoa are especially good breakfast beverages in winter as they contain fats. To many the rich fattiness of chocolate is distasteful although they like the flavor. This one can obtain by brewing "cocoa milk" instead of cocoa. These nibs can be purchased of most grocers and they are cooked like coffee. They yield a very thin liquid—as thin as tea—but have a mild cocoa flavor and none of the fat.

Another pleasant breakfast beverage which is usually appreciated by coffee lovers who can't take coffee straight is a combination of coffee and cocoa which is made as follows:

"Cocoa Coffee." 2 cupfuls of milk 1 cupful of cocoa 2 cupfuls of black coffee 2 cupfuls of boiling water 4 tablespoonsful of sugar 1 teaspoonful of vanilla. Scald the milk and add the boiling water. With a little of the mixture rub the sugar and cocoa to a smooth paste, then dilute and add to the milk and water. Simmer for five minutes, then add the coffee, a pinch of salt and vanilla. Heat throughout and serve at once. If a rich beverage is desired, serve with whipped cream.

Here is another way of taking coffee in mild form: 1-2 cupful of ground coffee 2 cupfuls of boiling water 2 cupfuls of milk. Prepare the coffee, then strain into the serving pitcher, add the scalded milk and place in boiling water for five minutes. Serve at once.

Plain Cocoa. 2 cupfuls of water

2 cupfuls of milk 3 tablespoonsful of cocoa 3 tablespoonsful of sugar Pinch of salt 1 teaspoonful of vanilla. Boil the water. Add cold water to the cocoa and sugar and rub to a smooth paste, then stir into the hot water. Cook for 10 minutes, then add the hot milk, salt and vanilla. Whisk with an egg beater and serve at once.

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## RIVER PARK

FOR REPORTER CALL River Park Bell Phone 478.

Mrs. Sarah McCormick 85 years old died Thursday morning at 8:30 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Anna Spicer, 821 N. Eighteenth st., River Park, following an illness of one week with complications. She came here four years ago from Knox, Ind. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Spicer with whom she made her home, Mrs. Louis Falliday, Knox, Ind., and Mrs. A. H. McHuron, of Oakland, Calif., and two sons, W. McCormick, of Knox, Ind., and M. McCormick of Calif., also one brother, Henry Goomer, of Marion, Ind. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

Word was received last night from Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Basset S. Eleventh st., who were called to Detroit, Mich., by the illness of the latter's sister, Mrs. Floyd Weaver, stating Mrs. Weaver died at 5 o'clock Thursday morning before they arrived. The body was to be brought to South Bend this afternoon for funeral and burial. Mrs. Weaver was 25 years old in January. She was born at Mentone, Ind. in 1895 and was married in South Bend to Floyd Weaver October 1914. Besides her husband she is survived by three small children, Rosella, Eugene and Eleanor, also two sisters and four brothers, Mrs. Vernon Basset, River Park, Mrs. Truman Unbaugh, Lapaz, Ind., Charles and Otto Alexander of Ellettsburg, Ind., Truman Alexander of South Bend.

Mrs. Margaret Bosma delightfully entertained the L. and G. club Thursday at her home on Oak st. Mrs. Mary Straub was elected secretary to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. Clara Engel and arrangements were made to give a card party at the home of Mrs. Jane Tilt Wednesday, February 11. Music and contests followed the business session and prizes were won by Mrs. Dora Evans, Mrs. Teska, Mrs. March the chance prize fell to Mrs. Mayme Fetter's. A 5 o'clock chicken dinner was served, covers were placed for 12. The next meeting will be held Thursday Feb. 19 at the home of Mrs. George Fetter's 8. Eighth st.

Miss Pauline Jones who has been ill at the home of her mother, Mrs. Shurtz, Dowagiac, Mich., has recovered and returned here yesterday.

George Whiteman left this morning for Lancaster, Pa., where he has accepted a position.

The condition of Mrs. O. J. Faroute, S. Twelfth st., who has been seriously ill the past two weeks is improved.

Miss Jean Gammack has resigned her position as teacher at the Grange school and has accepted a similar position at the Lakeville school.

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